

Senate Resolution 1547

By: Senators Jackson of the 24th, Murphy of the 27th, Wiles of the 37th, Tate of the 38th and Butler of the 55th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Spelling Bee Champion Rachael Cundey; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, fifth grader Rachael Cundey has brought great honor and pride to her family,
4 friends, classmates, and neighbors as a spelling phenomenon; and

5 WHEREAS, last year Rachael won the Columbia County Spelling Bee while in the fourth
6 grade, making her the contest's youngest winner in over a decade; and

7 WHEREAS, she went on to win the regional spelling bee competition as a fourth grader,
8 which qualified her to compete in the Scripps National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, this year Rachael repeated her triumphant performances at the Columbia
11 County Spelling Bee and the regional contest, again earning her a spot at the national
12 competition to be held the first week of June, 2010; and

13 WHEREAS, in addition to her superb spelling abilities, Rachael has had the highest grade
14 averages in all subjects in her grade level for the past two years; and

15 WHEREAS, Rachael was accepted into the gifted program as a kindergartner and
16 continuously impresses and inspires her peers and teachers with her prodigious orthography
17 abilities; and

18 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia looks forward with eager anticipation to the future of this
19 bright and promising young citizen.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
21 commend Rachael Cundey on her superior spelling skills, recognize her magnificent victories

22 at the Columbia County and regional spelling bees, and wish her success at the Scripps
23 National Spelling Bee.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
25 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Rachael Cundey.